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## A WHOLE VILLAGE

Attacked by Grip—One Family Escapes by Using Pe-ru-na.



WINONA, STARK CO., IND.

During the winter I and my family of six were taken with la grippe. The disease was very prevalent at that time in the village where I resided, nearly everyone being sick with it. Our doctors treated it as best they could, but were very unsuccessful in the treatment of it. As soon as my family were taken sick I went to the drugstore and bought six bottles of Pe-ru-na, and we all took it according to the directions given on the bottle, and although our cases seemed to be more than usually violent in the outset, yet our recovery was prompt, and we were all well much sooner than those who were treated by the regular physicians.

Many people died of this la grippe during this epidemic, and few if any were sick so short a time as myself and family. After we were all well we had one bottle of Pe-ru-na left.

C. T. Hatfield.

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## SERIOUS SETBACK

Lord Roberts' Forces Meet Another Disaster at Hands of the Boers.

## FIVE COMPANIES GONE

Body of 500 British Troops Captured Within 35 Miles of Army's Headquarters.

A Loss Which Has Set the English People to Revising Date of War's Ending.

Pretoria, April 6.—Col. Plumer's column is returning north.

London, April 7.—Not a word regarding the disaster at Reddersburg has been allowed to come through except the dispatch of Lord Roberts. It is therefore impossible to form any notion as to what happened. Meanwhile the British public is beginning to realize the immense difficulties to be overcome even before Pretoria is reached, and is revising premature ideas with respect to the time when the war will be over. No one believes now that it will have ended by the beginning of June.

The latest disaster more particularly illustrates the heavy task involved in holding the railway. This body of some 500 British troops without guns, which disappeared so completely within 35 miles of the great British army, had for its business to guard a section of nearly 90 miles of railway between Bloemfontein and Springfontein. If it could thus be spirited away, how is Lord Roberts to ensure his continually extending communications?

Other pertinent questions are being asked as a result of these successive "unfortunate occurrences." It can not be concealed that the utmost alarm is beginning to be felt. It is said that the Boers who captured the British at Reddersburg belonged to Olivier's commando.

It is asserted that 4,000 rebels surrendered during Gen. Clements' northward march. The Boers will do their utmost to hold Ladybrand and Thaba N'Chu, both being rich grain producing districts. It is said that most of the prisoners captured at Boshof are foreigners.

The report that Mr. Steyn had been appointed to the command of the Free State and the further report that the Free State has arranged a loan from the Transvaal for war purposes, are both confirmed.

Ten thousand remounts from South America are due to arrive the coming week at ports of Natal and Cape Colony.

Another Boer version of the fighting with Col. Plumer's forces says that four officers and 30 men were taken prisoners at Ramatshkaba. As numerous prisoners are now held on both sides and the numbers are about equal, the question of exchange was mooted in the house of commons last evening. This elicited a reply that the government had no intention of proposing an exchange.

## Gen. De Villebois Killed.

Boshof, April 6.—Lord Methuen's Mafeking relief force was concentrated here yesterday. The Boers are in force a few miles distant on the Vaal river. This town is practically deserted, all the men being with the commando under Commandant Dupplessis, who controls the district. Lord Methuen commanded in a spirited little action nine miles to the southeast, where he surrounded 70 Boers on a kopje. Not a man escaped. He took 54 prisoners, 60 horses and a quantity of baggage. Gen. De Villebois was



## What Makes Beauty?

Beauty is made or marred by the blood. When the blood is impure, the cheeks grow sallow, the eyes dull, the hair loses its lustre. When the blood flows through the veins in a pure, rich current, the complexion beautiful. Women who use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, find that it is a genuine beautifier. By purifying and enriching the blood it puts a bloom on the cheek and a brightness in the eye, which tell the story of perfect health.

"Having been left weak from fever last October, I was under the doctor's care here," writes Mrs. Alice E. Casheer, of Crawford, Doves Co., N. Y. "I took medicine, but did not seem to gain very much. I was tired all the time, had no appetite, had wandering pains all over me more or less, and was very nervous, as I had been sick all the summer. I was all run-down and didn't know what ailed me. I got advice from Dr. Pierce, telling me my symptoms better than I could describe them myself, and also telling me that I would have to take care of myself, and how to take the medicine. I took four bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and five of 'Favorite Prescription,' and gained strength right along. I took one bottle of the 'Pleasant Pellets,' also. I know that these medicines will do all that they are recommended to do."

Use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for sluggish liver.

killed during the action. A Boer noised a white flag and then fired immediately, killing a British officer. The murderer was instantly shot.

## Regret in France.

Paris, April 7.—The news of the death of Gen. De Villebois Mareuil was posted in the chamber of deputies and senate and caused a painful impression. The deceased officer had many friends in the parliamentary world; and his graphic letters, communicated from time to time to the Paris papers by the members of his family, had been eagerly read.

## Reduced the Rejoicing.

Dublin, April 7.—Lord Roberts' dispatch describing the disaster at Reddersburg was printed in the Dublin evening papers and created general consternation. It brought the populace with a quick turn from the rejoicing over the queen's visit to the great issues of the war and cast a sudden gloom over the gaiety of the party at the castle. There is no criticism of Lord Roberts, who appears to be trusted implicitly, but intense irritation and chagrin are felt that so many "unfortunate circumstances" should retard the march to Pretoria.

## To Retake Bloemfontein.

Bloemfontein, April 6.—The Boers are apparently making an attempt to redeem their promise to retake Bloemfontein. A considerable force has moved south through Thaba N'Chu. Gen. Ticker's isolation at Kamee is more apparent than real, since the open ground north of Bloemfontein offers small opportunity for Boer tactics. They may possibly engage him to distract attention from operations elsewhere. Remounts are anxiously awaited.

## A GROWING SERIES

"Another Unfortunate Occurrence" Reported by Lord Roberts.

London, April 7.—The text of Lord Roberts' dispatch from Bloemfontein announcing the capture of five companies of his troops is as follows:

"Another unfortunate occurrence has occurred, resulting, I fear, in the capture of a party of infantry consisting of three companies of the Royal Irish Fusiliers and two companies of the Ninth regiment of mounted infantry, near Reddersburg, a little eastward of Bethany railway station, within a few miles of this place. They were surrounded by a stronger force of the enemy with four or five guns."

"The detachment held out from noon, April 3, until April 4, 9 a. m., and then apparently surrendered, for it is reported that the firing ceased at the time. Immediately after I heard the news during the afternoon of April 3, I ordered Gatacre to proceed from Springfontein, his present headquarters, to Reddersburg, with all possible speed, and I dispatched the Cameron Highlanders to Bethany. He arrived at Reddersburg at 10:30 yesterday morning, without opposition, but could get no news of the missing detachment. There can be no doubt the whole party has been made prisoners."

## Chamberlain's Regime Menacing.

Berlin, April 7.—The Nation, in the course of an article reviewing the present phases of the war in South Africa, says: "Mr. Chamberlain's regime is a danger for all continental states. The small states of Europe, above all others, have cause for fear. They have to fear that what is happening to the Boer states and what Portugal will have to endure may happen to every other small country which might unfortunately stand in the way of British policy. What is possible for small countries may also happen to large ones, if not strong enough in a military sense. It will become constantly more plain that the policy of Great Britain has contrived enormously to increase disquiet and distrust in the world, and as a consequence of this armaments will grow continually."

## Burgbers Are Afraid.

Bloemfontein, April 6.—The British scouts report that a force of from 12,000 to 18,000 Boers had been seen beyond Bosman's kop, moving from Thaba N'Chu to the south. The enemy, by appeals and menace combined, are vainly trying to induce the burgbers to take the field again. The farmers are more afraid of the Transvaal than of the British.

## LEFT TO OTIS

Home Coming of Philippine Commander Left to His Discretion.

Washington, April 7.—The statement made in authoritative quarters that no order has been given as yet to Maj. Gen. Otis to relinquish his command in the Philippines and return to the United States. These steps are left in a measure at least to the general's discretion, and he is to determine just when he feels it proper for him to leave his post of duty in the islands on the leave-of-absence war department has promised him. Gen. Otis has been absent from his family for a long time, and the opinion is expressed that he is entitled to a respite from the long and arduous labors with which he has been engrossed since his departure from the United States. He will turn over the command to the next general officer now on duty in the Philippines, Gen. MacArthur.

## Acted Against His Will.

Brussels, April 7.—The police investigation into the outrage upon the prince of Wales shows that Jan Baptiste Spido, his assailant, acted without premeditation. Spido was under the influence of companions who had urged him against his will to commit the outrage.

## WASH THEIR HANDS

Do the Democratic Members of Kentucky Court of Appeals.

## NONE OF THEIR AFFAIR

Is What They Declare Regarding the Gubernatorial Contest and Lay It Onto Legislature.

Gov. Taylor Will Resist and Carry His Case to the United States Supreme Court.

Frankfort, Ky., April 7.—The court of appeals yesterday handed down its decision in the gubernatorial contest in favor of Beckham, Judge DuKelle dissenting. The other two Republican judges, Burnam and Guffy, handed down a separate opinion, which differed in its reasons from the opinion of the Democratic judges, but agreed with them in its conclusion. Judge Hobson, one of the four Democratic judges, wrote the opinion of the majority of the court, affirming the decision of Judge Field of Louisville.

It recites the work of the state canvassing board and of the contest proceedings in the legislature and all the subsequent proceedings and holds:

"We have no more right to supervise the decision of the general assembly in determining the result of this election than we have to supervise the action of the court in calling a special session of the legislature or in pardoning a criminal or the action of the legislature in contracting debts or determining upon the election of its members or doing any other act authorized by the constitution. There is no conflict between the action of the state canvassing board and that of the legislature in these cases. The state canvassing board was without power to go behind the returns. They were not authorized to hear evidence and determine who was in truth elected, but were required to give a certificate of election to the person whose returns had received the highest number of votes. For the state board to have received evidence to impeach the returns before they acted as a board for testing the election, and if they had done this, they would have usurped the power vested in the general assembly by the constitution. The action of the board is the general assembly can determine only by a vote of the general assembly. The constitution provides that the general assembly shall determine the result of the election by a vote of the majority of the members of the general assembly. The rights of the de facto officer under his certificate from the canvassing board were provisional or temporary until the determination of the result of the election as provided in the constitution. Upon that determination, if adverse to him, they ceased altogether. Such a determination of the result of the election by the general assembly did not take from him any pre-existing right, for, if not in fact elected, he had only a right to act until the result of the election could be determined. We are therefore unable to see how this constitution can be construed to give the legislative action taken in a matter over which the constitution has given the legislative exclusive jurisdiction and we are therefore of the opinion that the court is without jurisdiction to go behind the returns as made by the legislature under the constitution. Such a record seems to us entitled to every presumption in its favor which the rights of the de facto officer under its supervision, would be entitled to receive. The hands of the legislature in a matter before it. It is also argued that the contest board was not fairly drawn by lot, that certain members of the board were ineligible to the office, and that the board had full power to take such action as was proper in the premises. It does not appear that any of the objections urged were presented to the general assembly, but if they were, the general assembly is not bound by the judgment of the assembly in determining the result of the election. It must be presumed that it had sufficient reasons for its action. Besides the board was only a preliminary agency to take evidence and report the facts to the general assembly. The assembly itself finally determined the contest."

Judges Burnam and Guffy, Republicans, while concurring in the opinion of the courts having no jurisdiction, dissented from the reasoning. Judge Burnam's separate opinion says: "It is hard to imagine a more flagrant and partisan disregard of the modes of procedure than is made manifest by the facts alleged and relied on by contestees and admitted disqualifications. I am firmly convinced from admitted facts that the legislature, in the heat of anger engendered by intense partisan excitement, have done two faithful, conscientious and able public servants an irreparable injury in depriving them of the office to which they were elected and a still greater wrong to the large majority of the electors who voted for the general assembly. 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# THE GOLD MINE

## Spring Millinery.



The finest showing in trimmed millinery. Correct street and dress shapes very special selling and showing of several smart Street Hats, Tarbaa Tongues and Bonnets. We also have the most varied as well as the handsomest stock of millinery novelties ever shown. We have the new silk braids, shirred mouslins, imported poses, poppies, violets, black satin, roses, dainty medallion ornaments, fancy laces, and wings and quills. A large line of Spring ribbons in satin, taffeta, moire and fancies, at special low prices.

## Special White Goods Sale.

This week opens up one with the richest and most complete stock of foreign and domestic white goods we ever carried, including some rare bargains in dainty embroidered mull lace effects, hemstitched novelties, dotted Swiss, Persian lawn and India linen.

- 2,500 yards Beautiful Lace and Hemstitched Novelties, A magnificent assortment selected with care as to the correct styles. Special yard **15c, 20c, 25c**
- 5,000 yards India Linen and Persian Lawn. Extra Special, yard..... **5c 7 1/2c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c.**
- 72-inch Pure Linen Damask, Special, yard..... **48c**
- 50 dozen Damask Towels, Knotted fringe, colored border or plain white, worth 27 1/2c. Extra Special..... **19c**

## Lining Specials.

A presentation of values you will find it impossible to resist:

- 36-inch Spun Glass Silk. Looks like silk and wears better than silk—in blue, brown, green, automobile, cerise, light green and all colors. Special, yard..... **23c**
- 32-inch Mercerized silk, A good substantial light weight lining for skirts in all colors. Yard..... **18c, 20c**
- 5,000 yards black percaline, excellent quality. At, yard..... **15c**

## Spring Dress Fabrics.

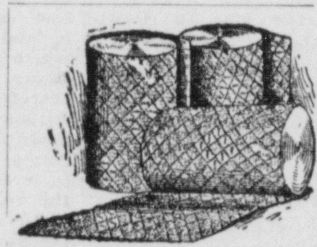
For the benefit of our many patrons who wait for our advertisement we will say it is great deal to qualities, styles, variety and prices precisely as they should be handsome yet not expensive.

- 32 fancy plaid in new colorings..... **10c**
- 40 inch fancy plaid suiting worth 7c at the largest concerns. Yard..... **42c**
- 40 inch in granite and pepper cloth, made from the finest wool in all the most popular shades. Special per yard..... **69c**



## Carpets, Matting, Curtains and Window Shades.

These departments require ready cash, close observance, shrewd buying in order to give the trade the best values for the least money. Our stock of carpets has no equal in Southern Indiana, for reliable makes and varieties.

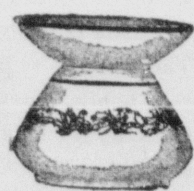


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| All Wool filling Carpets               | 39c | 10 Pieces China Matting                                   | 10c    |
| At                                     |     | Per yard at.....  |        |
| S. Jetly all wool Carpets              | 49c | 20 pieces Cotton Warp Matting                             | 18c    |
| At                                     |     | Per yard at.....  |        |
| Good Quality Tapestry Brussels Carpets | 45c | 25 Pair Popular Ruffled Curtains, the very latest drapery | \$2.49 |
| At                                     |     | Per Pair at.....  |        |
| Best 9 Wire Smith's or Sandford's make | 59c | 100 Pair Nottingham Lace Curtains. Special Price          | 39c    |
| At                                     |     | Per Pair at.....  |        |

## Great House Cleaning Sale.

To Introduce our Basement to the Trade we have Prepared Special Prices.

- Solid back, scrubbing brushes worth 6 cents, special..... **3 1/2c**
- Granite Preserving Kettle, large size worth 25 cents, special..... **12 1/2c**
- Extra deep pudding Pans worth 10 cents, special..... **5c**
- Soap Dishes worth 10 cents, special..... **5c**
- 10-quart tin buckets worth 15 c. special..... **8c**
- Large size Tea Kettles, tin bottom, worth 30 cents..... **15c**



5c

- Largest size Tea Kettles, copper bottom, worth 50c special..... **25c**
- 2-quart tin sauce Pans, worth 10c special..... **5c**
- 2-blade chopping Knives, worth 10c special..... **5c**
- Coat hooks, per dozen..... **5c**
- Tack claws, special..... **3c**
- 1 set Knives and forks..... **35c**
- Paring Knives..... **3c**
- Butcher Knives..... **5c**



19c

### Queensware.

- Gravy Bowl..... **5c**
- 8-inch Plate..... **3 1/2c**
- 5-inch Plate..... **2 1/2c**
- 8-inch covered dish..... **25c**
- Fancy decorated Cream Pitcher..... **5c**
- See our 5 and 10c counters of Glassware.
- Metal top Molasses pitcher..... **5c**
- Metal Salts and Peppers, each..... **3c**

## Spring Shoes

For Ladies.

\$3



A Great and Varied Line of Beautiful Shoes to suit any and every requirement. Don't wait until you are in a hurry. Inspect them at your leisure.

SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK—Ladies' Lace and Button Tan or Black Kid, flexible soles, patent or tip of same, all sizes, all widths..... **\$1.95**



## MEN'S SHOES.

## Spring Wear.

American Underwear and Hosiery made by American labor for American Women.

- Tape Neck Vests..... **5c**
- Women's White Ribbed Cotton Vests, low neck, no sleeves... **10c**
- Women's American Lisle Thread Vests, low neck, no sleeves or wing sleeves..... **15c and 19c**
- Women's Pure Lisle Thread Vests, eoru or white, low neck, no sleeves..... **25c**

Women's Lace-trimmed crocheted-fronts, lace fronts, all new patterns..... **25c**- Women's White Ribbed Pure Lisle Vests, low neck, no sleeves... **3 c**
- Women's Platted Silk Vests, low neck, no sleeves, pink, blue and cream..... **25c**
- Seamless fast black and tan Ladies' Hose..... **8c**
- Fancy top, fast black Boot Hose... **15c**
- Imported fine Balbriggan, regular made, either plain or drop stitch **19c**



## Ladies' Kid Gloves

100 dozen Ladies' genuine kid, dark red, tans, grays, black, special price..... **59c**

The well known makes such as Louise, Fedora, Newport in clasps, Etelka and Schiller in lace, all the new shades at..... **\$1.00**

Danton, Carmen, Voltaire in clasps, Henrietta in lace, guaranteed by us as well as the maker..... **\$1.25**

CORRECT FASHIONS IN...

## Tailor-Made Suits, Coats and Dress Skirts

New Spring Suits and Jackets are here, as nowhere else, ready for you to make your selections. A profusion of Special Bargains purposely arranged to tempt early buyers—Garments having that refined Tailor-Made appearance that is only produced by the highest art of tailoring.



Eton styles, plain and appliqued; double-breasted Eton effects, tight-fitting and Jacket effects, in all the swell Spring materials—Broadcloths, Venetian Cheviots, Homespun, Camel's Hair, Pebble Cheviot, etc., Skirts made with single and double box-plate bae.

- Special this week..... **\$ 4.98**
- Advance Styles..... **6.50**
- At..... **10.50**
- Eton Suits..... **15.00**
- At..... **15.00**
- Swell Suits..... **15.00**

Swell Eton Jackets  
\$4.98 \$6.50, \$8.50.

If you want a Janty Separate Eton Jacket come and inspect our variety of newest swell effect and you will not have cause to regret.

## Dress Skirts

NEWEST STYLES—Beautiful assortment, in all new materials, newest cut, plain and applique trimmed, box plate black, at

\$3.98, \$4.98, \$6.50, \$6.98 up to \$10.00.



## Silk Waists.

Newest Spring Styles.

The finest showing of exclusive waist novelties is to be found here. The offering will be the greatest Taffeta Silk waist in America at

**\$4.98.**

Newest Pastel Shades.

## NEW SPRING PETTICOATS.

Handsome styles, prettier effects, greater values will be the order of things this season. Newest styles in silks, Mercerized Silk, Silk Moreen, Sateen, Nearsilk, etc. Extraordinary sale of Mercerized Silk Petticoats, made with deep accordion-plated flounce, in all the leading shades.

**\$1.50.**

## House Wrappers.

Biggest Bargain Ever Offered.

We will place on sale elegant House Wrappers in all colors, made with flounce trim skirt, ruffs and braid trimmed. Equal to any \$1.50 wrapper ever sold before. Our price for a flyer.

## Parasols.

Parasols will be a most essential part of the outfit of the fashionable woman this season. Our spring line will exhibit this week and would add to the many attractions of our second floor.

## Black Dress Goods.

Good taste, good sense and economy demand at least one black dress in every woman's wardrobe. We stand ready at all times, to convince you that we can show you the prettiest goods in the market goods in the market at the lowest prices.

- 33 inch Jacquard suiting. Special price..... **19c**
- All wool satin finish Jacquard suiting handsome and durable. Per yard..... **46c**
- 42 inch Maltese crepon highly finished and very desirable. Per yard..... **89c**

## The New Silks.

Our magnificent showing of exquisite novelties will be found especially interesting, when seen in all its dazzling beauty and gorgeous colorings.

### FOULARDS.

Beautiful New figured Foulards and Japanese Silks, In an immense variety and at popular prices. Special per yard..... **50c, 75c, 98c**

Wash Silks. They are the sweetest of the new spring silks and represent the finest collection ever gathered together. Special, yard..... **35c, 50c**

Fancy Stripe Taffeta

In all colors. This is a rare opportunity to select a handsome silk waist pattern..... **\$2.49**

**S. STRAUSS & CO.**



# SPRINGTIME

We Manufacture Plastic Relief.

Outside should be reflected inside your houses. Our  
**WALL PAPERS**  
Afford the best means of doing this. They are sun-  
shine and flowers stored up. Let us show you  
what we've got and estimate on your work.

# BECKMAN & CO

Look at Our Window Display



**SYRUP OF FIGS**  
ACTS GENTLY ON THE  
**KIDNEYS, LIVER**  
**AND BOWELS**  
CLEANSES THE SYSTEM  
DISPELS EFFECTUALLY  
COLD HEADACHES  
OVERCOMES CONSTITUTION  
HABITUAL CONSTIPATION  
ITS BENEFICIAL EFFECTS.  
TO GET  
BUY THE GENUINE - MAN'D BY  
**CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.**  
LOUISVILLE, KY. CHICAGO, ILL. NEW YORK, N.Y.  
FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS. PRICE 50c PER BOTTLE.

## QUALITY!

In medicine quality is of the first importance. When you're sick; your friend sick; your family sick and the doctor gives you a prescription to be filled, take it to a reliable druggist—one whom you know to be reliable. All our drug store goods are strictly first quality goods. If it's drug store goods you want get them at the

**W. F. PETER**  
Pharmacy.

Phone 400.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
CITY COUNCIL.

The undersigned will be a candidate for the office of councilman from the First ward of the City of Seymour, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election.  
MOSES BAUER.

**WEATHER INDICATIONS**  
CHICAGO, Illinois, April 7.—  
Fair tonight; possibly followed by showers by Sunday night.  
COX.

THE Third district republicans will meet at New Albany April 19 to elect delegates to the national convention.

THE indications are that the Fourth district love feast at Columbus next Wednesday evening will be largely attended.

THE Bryan people never did like Senator Gorman very much and now that he is connected with Admiral Dewey's announcement for the presidency they will like him less.

ON the first page of this issue is found the full text of G. L. McKibben's report as to the value of the Seymour water plant. Aside from this report Mr. McKibben submitted an argument for municipal ownership, which report was noted in yesterday's REPUBLICAN.

WANTED.—Two or three furnished rooms for traveling man and his wife. Rent in advance. For reference see Seymour National Bank.

O. J. BRIGGS.

Quo Vadis!

## FIDDLERS' CONTEST.

The Fire Department Benefit A Success.

The old fiddlers' contest last night, given as a benefit for the city fire department, was a decided success. The crowd was large, there being present in the opera house about 700 people. Some of the fiddlers were old and some of them were young, but they were all fiddlers. There was not a "violinist" in the crowd. They came from all directions and seemed to enjoy the entertainment themselves as much as the audience. And the audience enjoyed it all from the first appearance of the fiddlers until the last. Many favorite old time tunes, such as "The Arkansas Traveler," "Old Dan Tucker," "Sugar in the Gourd" and others of the same kind.

Dr. G. G. Graessle, Dr. W. E. Gerish and John Eudaly sat in judgment and awarded the prizes according to merit. The list of wards could not be obtained in time for publication today. The fire department will net about \$40 from the contest.

## Removal Notice.

Ewing & Congdon, successor to Philip H. Laugel & Co., have moved their insurance office a few doors east of the old stand in the Carter bicycle room, 17½ East Second street, where they are prepared to do all kinds of insurance business. John Congdon being a notary public they are prepared to execute all kinds of legal papers. They have plenty of blank affidavits for use of persons who have a mortgage on their property and to save paying tax on the mortgage. Come and see us day or night, and you may depend that we will treat you right. We are in the business to stay and to do a strictly honest and legitimate business.

Quo Vadis!

## Displaying their Badges.

The following clipping from the Evansville Journal shows that the Seymour teachers have been in evidence at the association.

"Seymour's delegation, beside coming for the benefit of the association's ideas, is here to secure the convention for that bustling city next year. Blue buttons with white letters reading:

"S. I. T. A.,  
Seymour,  
1901."

Are being distributed and many of the teachers are wearing the same, showing that Seymour is the place of their choice."

Quo Vadis!

## Franchise Granted.

The board of county commissioners today granted a franchise to the company backing the Seymour and Southwestern Electric Railway, a line which will be constructed from Seymour towards the southwest to Salem and on to West Baden. Parties in Jackson and Washington, besides outside capital is backing the enterprise. Such a line would, in the opinion of every one who has investigated, be a paying investment.

## When Traveling

Whether on pleasure bent or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectively on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

## Liquid Electricity

Cough syrup is the best on earth for lagrippe cough. It cures in every case, if properly used. Mrs. E. Weathers, 134 South Hill street.

## Ready for Easter.

Our new stock of spring millinery is complete with all the latest styles and patterns. We have as fine line of Easter goods as ever brought to Seymour. Come and see us. Hodapp & Wiethoff.

Garden seed, seed sweet potatoes, onion sets, Reynolds.

Judge Willard New was in the city last evening on his way to Scottsburg where he will hold court today. He will adjourn court this evening for the term.

## PERSONALS.

Elder H. C. Jackson will preach at Reddington tomorrow.

Mrs. Will B. Miller went to Indianapolis, her future home, today.

Mrs. Walter Sage, of Ewing, came up today to visit Mrs. H. T. Bennett.

Dr. J. H. Davis, of Azalia, drove down today behind his fine roadster.

David Owens and wife, of Marling, visited Ed Corthum and family last night.

Mrs. Henry, of Pleasant Grove, came up today to visit Miss Hannah Noiting.

Prof. D. W. Cain came home last night from Charlestown to visit his family.

Rev. Joseph E. Taylor, of Greensburg, went to Ratliffs Grove today to preach.

Presiding Elder J. M. Baxter went to Charlestown today to hold quarterly meeting.

C. E. Garretson, of Kokomo, formerly with Harding & Riehm was in the city today.

Mrs. Ed. Lahrman, of Ewing, went to the Ridge today to visit Mrs. Alpha Ruddick.

Mrs. Jesse Thompson and Mrs. John Stanfield went to Columbus today to visit Mrs. Clark.

E. M. Glove and wife, of Evansville, came up today to visit her sister, Mrs. M. E. Rucker.

Mrs. Susanna Laugel went to Columbus today to visit her son, Philip H. Laugel and family.

Harry C. Jones came home Friday from a nice visit to his uncle, J. H. Jones, of Greenville, Ill.

Mrs. John Q. Foster, of Newry, who has been very sick for some time is able to sit up part of the time.

Mrs. J. F. Impler, of Kokomo, went to Loggotee today to join her husband, who is employed in the oil field there.

Charles Ewing, who has visited his uncle, James Ewing, at Hopkins, Mo., came home this morning. His uncle is better.

Miss Fema Wood, of Mitchell, who has been nicely entertained by Mrs. W. E. Hoadley and family went to Indianapolis today.

W. H. Newby and daughter, Miss Katherine, of Indianapolis, after a visit with Travis Carter and family returned home today.

## The New Albany Presbytery.

The Presbytery of New Albany will convene Tuesday evening at 7:30 in Presbyterian church. The session will be opened with a sermon by Rev. S. C. Bates, of Brownstown. On Wednesday evening at 7:30, there will be a popular meeting with address by Rev. J. Clokey, of New Albany. His subject will be "The Mission of the Anglo-Saxon." All the meetings of the Presbytery are open to the public and every one will be made welcome.

## BORN.

A son was born to George Head and wife, nee Lydia Auferheide, of Quincy, Ill., Thursday, April 5.

A daughter was born to H. E. Davis and wife Friday, April 6.

## DIED.

STILLWELL.—Ben Stillwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Stillwell, died at the family home at Ewing at an early hour Saturday, April 7, aged about eighteen years. Funeral Monday afternoon.

Phone 103 for ice cream.

Ice cream and soda this evening at Hoover's.

Kale, onions, radishes, tomatoes, F. Teekemeyer's.

The Palace Millinery is showing some most beautiful hats.

Several members of the Utopia Club attended a dance at North Vernon last night.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to soothing healing influences of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Harding & Riehm sold fine pianos this week to Mrs. Emma Queen, Bedford, R. B. Spurgeon, Salem, Miss Stella Park, Memphis, A. W. Dierking, Oolitic, Nicholas Stein, New Albany, Lawrence Kenhard, Knights-town, Wm. Ahlert, Seymour, and to the Presbyterian church, Mitchell.

## REPUBLICANS ASTIR.

Jackson Township Ticket Being Named by the Party Today.

The republicans of Jackson township are showing a lively interest in the primary election this afternoon. The polls opened at 1 o'clock and ever since the votes have been recorded at the rate of about fifty an hour at each precinct. The candidates who have opposition are working hard for votes. A good feeling exists all around and the result will be that a strong ticket will be named. The polls will close at 8 o'clock tonight, but it will be much later than that when the vote is counted.

The board at the opera house is composed of William Durham, W. R. England, J. E. McKinney and Francis Patrick, while Wm. Duckworth, Frank Rottger, Louis Sweaney and J. W. Massman are on duty at H. P. Miller's shop.

## Big Day For Stanfield & Carlson.

The first annual opening of the Stanfield-Carlson Hardware Company today has been a decided success. They had on exhibition a large amount of all kinds of agricultural implements, plows, harrows, cultivators, corn planters, wagons, buggies, and other machinery. There were present a number of the representatives of the goods exhibited who took great pains to show them to the crowd of farmers. A large number of good sales were made during the day. A pleasant feature of the opening was the lunch served by the firm to a large number of those who called at their store during the day.

## Will Probably Meet Here.

The Southern Indiana Teachers' Association will probably meet in Seymour next year. The Evansville Journal says today:

"Next year's convention will probably be held at Seymour. The delegates are doing some fine electioneering."

## RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Will Liston, of the I. C., was in the city today with his wife.

A. G. Swift, of the S. I., was in the city today on business.

J. R. Wagner, of the "Q" route, was in the city today to visit friends.

C. C. Murray, J. M. & I. claim agent, was here today to investigate the accident to Demp Wilson.

Fireman R. A. Temple, who was injured at Shoals some time ago, went today to his home in Kentucky, to stay with his parents until he is able to work again.

Ice cream at Nottage's.

Quo Vadis, April 20. For this play certain Manager Rooney deserves the liberal support of the community.

Marshal Thicksten has received description of goods stolen from Care & O'Neil's dry goods store at Columbus, Ohio, and notice that a reward of \$200 is offered for information leading to arrest of the parties that stole them.

The school taught by Miss Nina Patrick at the Stanfield schoolhouse closed last evening with a large attendance of the patrons. The occasion was a success throughout.

Mrs. Florence Bacon will give a lecture to ladies in the Christian church Monday evening at 7:30, upon the benefits derived from Physical Culture, what it is, also giving movements of same as she goes along; this is preparatory to forming classes.

Admission ten cents.

WANTED.—Educated ladies and gentlemen. Permanent employment. Methodists, either sex, Odd Fellows, Masons, in good standing, republican workers having some influence, to work along party lines. Positions at not less than \$600 a year, worth \$1800 to competent persons. Do you want work? If so state what you have done, age, references, wages expected, church standing. Address "Supt." this office.

The millinery opening at Mrs. E. M. Young's will be continued this evening. There are bargains in store for you.

## LEND A HAND.

If a Brother or Sister is in Trouble, Give Assistance

It is true charity to lend assistance to one who, amid difficulties, is earnestly striving to do right. A pleasant word or a helping hand at the right moment might be the turning point in a life and the means of changing the future of one who is on the verge of despair.

Some people go through life burdened with disease, struggling to free themselves from the yoke of bondage, but unable to throw off the demon.

When the stomach and liver become diseased, the blood impure, and the whole system run down, nature needs a helping hand. She struggles heroically to free herself from the fangs of the disease; but she must have assistance. Knox Stomach Tablets are just the assistance needed. They act directly on the blood, stomach, liver and bowels, and help nature to throw off the poisons, and render strong, healthy, and sound men and women who have been chronic invalids for years. After a few days' use, the sufferer will note the positive return of her life. Knox stomach Tablets are a combination of the very best remedies known to medical science. One box will be worth more than gold to the dyspeptic. An immediate relief for indigestion and a positive cure for dyspepsia.

They are put up fifty tablets in a box and sold for fifty cents by druggists. If unable to secure them of your dealer, send his name with fifty cents and your address to the Knox Chemical Co., Battle Creek, Mich., and a full sized box will be sent postpaid.

## BUSINESS NOTES.

James K. Love made a business trip to Commiskey.

John F. Stuckwisch, of Sauers, came up today on business.

Anthony Rehart made a business trip to Brownstown today.

E. D. Rucker, of Tampico, was a business visitor here today.

Aaron Cross is plastering Patrick O'Connor's new residence.

J. W. Starr, near Sparksville, was a business visitor here today.

C. W. Flanders and wife, near Harts-ville, came down today on business.

The Progress Furniture Factory shipped a car of sideboards to Chicago today.

Mose Gumble, of Cincinnati, who has been here on business, returned home today.

George H. Meyers went to Waymansville today in the interest of the Groub Co.

Everett Wagner, of Indianapolis, is the guest of his cousin, Marshal Abe Thicksten.

The new four room house of Henry Frazee on South Lynn street is ready for the plasterers.

John Gallamore's new four room residence near the city park, is ready for the white coat.

James McKinney, of Lockman, brought a big load of farm produce here Friday and sold it at a good price.

George A. Cooley, of Tampico, brought a load of farm products up last evening for W. H. Reynolds.

J. W. Pointer and wife and son, Harry, who have charge of the Kennedy Brown farm, near Scipio, came down to the city today on business.

## A Practising Physician

in Monticello, Ill., formulated Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Ask A. J. Pellens.

"Cure the cough and save a life" Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds, down to the very verge of consumption.

Ham Kutchback, of North Vernon, came down today on business with Hon. Louis Schneek and to be conducted through the Woolen Mill.

Don't let the little ones suffer from eczema, or other torturing skin diseases. No need for it. Doan's Ointment cures. Can't harm the most delicate skin. At any drug store, 50 cents.

David Fitzgibbons and his mother, Mrs. Anna Finley, of Sparksville, passed through today to Elwood to visit her son, Thomas.

Mrs. J. H. Boyer, of Louisville, came up this morning to visit her father, Demp Wilson, who was seriously hurt last evening.

Monarch over pain. Burns, cuts, sprains, stings. Instant Relief. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

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All wool plaids, newest and latest effects. The \$1.25 kind 89c  
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All wool plaids, quality guaranteed. Such as we sell for \$1 70c Mohair and wool plaids the kind we sell at 35c 25c

The above four items are extraordinary values and worthy your inspection.

For these three days only we also give you good linings with all plain dress suits bought at and over 50c per yard.

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**Consumption and Catarrh Can Be Cured.**

Cancer and tumors cured without pain or use of knife. As God has prepared an antidote for the sin-sick soul, so He has prepared antidotes for a diseased sick body. These can be found at the

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After an examination we will tell you just what we can do for you, if we cannot benefit or cure you, we will frankly tell you so. Patients can be treated successfully at a distance. Write for examination and question blanks. Street cars and carriages direct to Institute. Call on or address, DR. J. W. YOUNG, President. DR. W. R. MAYO, Gen. Mgr. No. 10 W. Wayne St., Fort Wayne, Ind.

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**The Millinery Opening**  
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**Pattern Hats and Bonnets and Millinery Novelties**

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**Thursday, April 5th, 1900,**

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Respectfully,

**MISS ERNESTINE HEINS,**

115 South Chestnut St.





## Out in Kansas

Lives a happy wife. She writes: "I have used Mother's Friend before two confinements. The last time I had twins, and was in labor only a few minutes. Suffered very little." The reason why

## Mother's Friend

does expectant mothers so much good is because it is an external liniment, to be applied upon the outside, where much of the strain comes. It helps because the pores of the skin readily absorb it, and it comes into direct contact with and is absorbed by the parts involved. Morning sickness is quickly banished, and nervousness is kept completely away. The sense of dread and foreboding is not experienced, even during labor itself. Confinement is short and almost without pain. Recovery is quick and sure. Best of all, Mother's Friend benefits the unborn just as much as the expectant mother, and when the little one comes it will be strong, lusty and healthy.

Druggists sell Mother's Friend for \$1 a bottle. Send for our free book on the subject, finely illustrated.

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO.

ATLANTA, GA.

Coughed 25 years.—I suffered for 25 years with a cough, and spent hundreds of dollars with doctors and for medicines to no avail until I used Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. This remedy makes weak lungs strong. It has saved my life.—J. B. Rozell, Grantsburg Ill.

What a lady in New York City says of Shinkle's Cure for Dyspepsia:

Dear Sir:—I am now taking the fourth bottle of Shinkle's Cure for Dyspepsia, and I find this remedy very beneficial. It is more helpful to me than any doctor's prescription, or other cure for dyspepsia, has been. Mrs. E. VETTER, 236 E. 69th st., May 28, 1898. New York City. For sale by W. F. Peter.

Just as Good.—Whenever a druggist tells you he has something "just as good" for coughs, colds, grip, etc., as Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey he is thinking of his profits and not of your welfare. Good druggists will sell you what you ask for, and you can ask for nothing as good as Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Good druggist sell it.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one whose life has been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or who has been cured of chronic diarrhoea by the use of that medicine. Such persons make a point of telling of it whenever opportunity offers, hoping that it may be the means of saving other lives. For sale by C. W. Milhous, druggist.

Does Coffee Agree With You?

If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it, but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful beverage for old and young. The and 25c.

## Giving Him Work.

James L. Druggon, of New York, was fined \$15 including costs by Judge Hoover on the charge of vagrancy. Not being able to pay or stay, Commissioner Samuel Welsh put him to work on the streets yesterday.

## DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

### Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, liver acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.

## STRUCK BY AN ENGINE.

Demp Wilson run Down by J. M. & I. Train and Badly Hurt.

Last evening about 5:45 as Demp Wilson, night watchman at St. John & Anderson's mill was going down the J. M. & I. track to his work he was struck by a passing train and seriously, if not fatally hurt.

He was walking on a side track near the Louisville Avenue crossing and stepped over on the main track to get out of the way of an approaching freight. He seemed unafraid of the approach of No. 18, the fast mail to Louisville, and it is probable that the noise of the freight prevented him from hearing the less noisy passenger. He stepped over on the main track just in time to be struck by the pilot of the engine pulling No. 18. He was thrown quite a distance and the wonder is that he was not instantly killed. The train was probably running at a rate of twenty or twenty-five miles an hour.

The train stopped and the crew by the help of others lifted Mr. Wilson into the baggage car and brought him back to the passenger depot. From there he was carried on a stretcher to Dr. Gerrish's office where he was examined and his wounds dressed.

It was found that his right arm was broken near the shoulder and at the elbow, both of them serious and may necessitate amputation. His head was cut and bruised in one place and his body was bruised in several places. Besides it is feared that he received some internal injuries.

After his wounds were dressed he was taken to his home where he rested as well last night and today as could be expected under the circumstances. His friends have hope that he will come through all right, though his injuries are known to be serious.

## Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Send for list of testimonials. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's family Pills are the best.

## Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place, and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES. GENTS. Marshall Mrs Eliza Cole Mr N G Drapier Mr W H PHILIP WILHELM, P. M.

## PERSONALS.

S. H. Watson and wife, of Columbus, were here today.

Rev. I. C. Overman, of Crothersville, was here this forenoon.

Charles, son of Chris Nobbe, who has been very ill, is better.

Mrs. Ed. Boyles went to Cincinnati last night to visit her parents.

Wesley Covert was in town today and made the REPUBLICAN a pleasant call.

George Wilman and wife, of Covington, Kentucky, went to White Creek last night to visit relatives and friends.

Dr. Gaddy and wife, of Paris Crossing, who were here to visit his uncle, Dr. N. D. Gaddy, returned home last evening.

Dr. Amick and wife, Mrs. John Justis, Misses Mattie Downs and Anna Hill, of Hayden, spent last evening in the city.

Mrs. Charles Harver, of Walesboro, who came here to attend the funeral of her uncle, John Baldwin, returned home last evening.

## BUSINESS NOTES.

S. W. Warner and wife, of Decatur, Ill., who were here on business returned home today.

George W. Rider, of Crothersville, came up last evening on business. He went to Scottsburg last night.

St. John & Anderson have purchased 300 large hickory and oak trees this week, for their sawmill and Sucker Rod Factory.

## Meeting of Doctors.

The Jackson County Medical Society met in the parlors of the Hotel Jones Thursday. Members present were Drs. Shields, Barnes, Ritter, Galbraith, Hill, D. J. Cummings, Osterman and Shipman. Dr. Shields, the newly elected president, called the society to order. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The Secretary read a letter from Dr. Wm. M. Rodman, of Brownstown, asking the Society for a certificate of withdrawal from the Society, which on motion was granted. Dr. Galbraith not having completed his paper on the Etiology of Tuberculosis, asked for further time promising to have it ready by the next meeting, which takes place the first Thursday in May. Dr. Osterman will also prepare a short paper on the treatment of the same disease. Dr. H. L. Hamilton, of Kurtz, made application for membership and on motion was received into the Society.

Dr. Orville Gaddy, from Jennings county, dropped in during the session and favored the Society with a short speech. After an informal discussion of the differential diagnosis of smallpox, the Society adjourned. S.

## BORN.

A son was born to J. C. House and wife Friday, April 6.

A daughter was born to C. M. Markcr and wife Friday, April 6.

Prof. Henry Fischer has a telegram from Chicago stating that his mother, Mrs. Mary Huffman, of that city died Thursday night. Mr. Fischer left for that city this morning to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Johnson, who has been at Madison for quite a while came home last night accompanied by her son, G. Johnson, brother of W. L. Johnson.

The Sucker Rod Factory which was temporarily closed down for repairs will resume operation the first of next week.

## SPARKS FROM THE WIRE.

The New York state legislature adjourned sine die yesterday.

The United States buildings at the Paris exposition will be closed on Sundays.

Stephen Crane, the writer, is dangerously ill at London. He is suffering from hemorrhage of the lungs.

That a general rebellion in China will follow the announcement of the emperor's death is now generally conceded in the Orient.

A bill was introduced in the senate yesterday by Mr. Foster making it a felony to use deleterious substances in the preparation of food.

The government of Ecuador issues an official denial of the report that negotiations are in progress for the sale to the United States of Galapagos islands.

Instead of a settlement of the machine-gun strike at Cleveland, which was expected this week, the indications now point to a long and bitter struggle.

Harry Humberger, a youth convicted at Detroit of murder, attempted suicide by slashing his throat with a razor. Jail officials interfered in time to save his life.

John R. McLean, brother-in-law of Admiral Dewey, has engaged elaborate quarters at one of the leading hotels of Kansas City for the Democratic convention in July.

Terry McGovern, the featherweight champion, has finally decided to leave his class, and on April 17 at Tattersalls, in Chicago, will meet Tommy White, the 120-pound champion in a 6-round go.

Yesterday's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, \$156,775,893; gold, \$83,092,553.

As a result of the active springing at Puerto Tiera, Porto Rico, against English speaking negroes, which resulted in the killing of one and the serious injury of others, the town has been placed under martial law.

## TO BE DEPENDENT ON.

Because it is the Experience of a Seymour Citizen and can Readily be Investigated.

A stranger lost in a large city would place far more dependence on the directions given him by a local resident than the guidance of another stranger like himself. This is a natural consequence of experience; it's like a ship in a strange port—a trusty pilot familiar with the harbor is always called upon to bring her safely to her moorings. So it is with endorsement; we doubt the sayings of people living at distant points because we can't investigate, but public expression of local citizens can be depended on, for 'tis an easy matter to prove it. Evidence like the following is beyond dispute:

Mr. Jesse Day, of Mill street, veteran of the civil war, says: "I procured Doan's Kidney Pills, sold by C. W. Milhous, the druggist, and their use strengthened my back and removed the pain. They also banished the aching in the back and top of my head and regulated the action of the kidney secretions. There has been no return of the trouble since."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

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These Letters Prove that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Makes Women Strong.

**Two Letters from Mrs. Costa**  
"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have decided to write and ask your advice in my case. I have been sick off and on for about eighteen years and have been doctoring with different doctors, also been to the hospital but got no relief. I am at present in bed with womb disease. I hope through you to find relief."—Mrs. L. COSTA, Broderick, Cal., September 21, 1898.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I more than thank you for the advice given me in your first letter. I used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it did me more good than all the doctors. I am now a well woman and am able to do all my work and rest well at night. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best in the world."—Mrs. L. COSTA, Broderick, Cal., August 1, 1899.

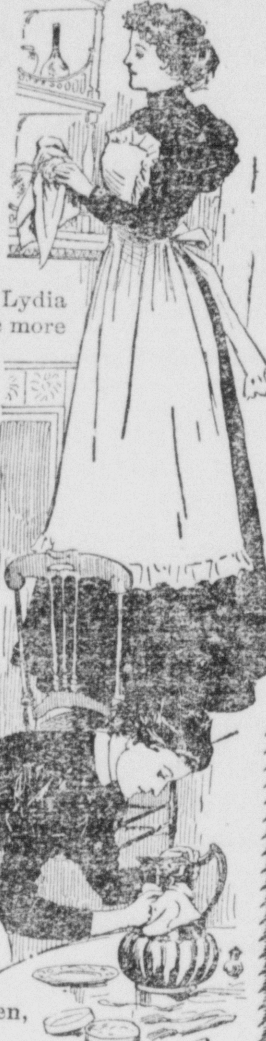
**Two Letters from Mrs. Markert**  
"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have fearful pain in lower bowels so I can neither stand or walk. I have a burning pain in right side of bowels and have pain when I lie down. Menstruation is very painful and has always been; am also troubled with leucorrhoea, pain in small of back and at times stinging pain in chest. Would like your advice in regard to my troubles."—Mrs. MINNIE MARKERT, 166 Summit Ave., Hoboken, N. J., May 3, 1899.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I was very sick when I wrote to you two months ago. The doctors said I had inflammation of the womb and ovaries. I was in such pain that I could not walk, stand or sleep. I have now taken six bottles of Vegetable Compound, one box of Liver Pills and used three packages of Sanative Wash; also followed your advice in regard to other things and am feeling perfectly well and can do all my work."—Mrs. MINNIE MARKERT, 166 Summit Ave., Hoboken, N. J., June 24, 1899.

**Can Work All Day**  
"The doctor said my nerves were weak, blood impure. Was troubled with hands and feet swelling, also had leucorrhoea. I have taken six bottles of Vegetable Compound and feel well once more. I have gained twenty-seven pounds and am able to work all day in the store and do not feel tired when I get home at night."—PETRA M. LOYA, care of L. Wolfson, San Antonio, Texas.

Every woman knows some woman helped by

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## WINE OF CARDUI

### How a Woman Suffers.

HOWELL, IND., Nov. 23.  
I will always praise Wine of Cardui. It has done me more good than all the medicines I have ever taken in my life. Please send a book about female diseases to the ladies whose names I enclose.

Mrs. MINNIE STODGHILL

## WINE OF CARDUI

It isn't necessary for a woman to give particulars. When she says she has "female troubles," other women know what that means. It means days and nights of endless suffering. It means headaches which no tongue can describe. It means that terrible bearing and dragging down in the lower abdomen. It means agonizing backache, and shoulder ache, and arm ache, and aches in the lower limbs. It means nerves on edge—the blues—despondency and loss of hope. It means debilitating drains that the doctors call leucorrhoea. It means martyrdom—sometimes even death seems preferable. And still Wine of Cardui will utterly put those diseases and pains to rout. It has cured thousands of cases when nothing else on earth would. To the budding woman, to the bride, to the wife, to the expectant mother, to those going through the Change of Life, this Vegetable Wine is a blessing.

Druggists Sell Large Bottles for \$1.00.

## WINE OF CARDUI

Don't Be Funny.

It does not pay. If you have a good thing, tell it right out. Don't use false means to attract attention. We say "right out" and mean it, too, that Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will cure every case of Stomach Trouble. It will stop any pain caused by indigestion; it knocks Sick Headache by attacking the cause of the complaint and aids you to digest your food, no matter what you eat.

### "We do Not Want Money Bad."

We want it good and we will give you value received, as is every bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, no matter be it 10c, 50c or \$1.00, as we guarantee it for Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache and Stomach Trouble. A. J. Pellens.

Osgood, Mo., Oct. 23, 1899.

PEPSIN SYRUP CO., Monticello, Ill.  
GENTLEMEN:—I have used Syrup Pepsin for some time and find it gives most excellent results and it is one of the greatest selling preparations I have ever carried in stock.

I do not hesitate to recommend it. Very Respectfully, Dr. T. Jones.

Sold by A. J. Pellens.

### Our Cure for Dyspepsia.

Is not a cure-all, but will cure stomach troubles of recent or long standing, caused by too much acid in the stomach. Shinkle's Cure is a neutralizer and will positively cure the above troubles. For sale by W. F. Peter.

For all internal and external pains and aches Dr. Bell's Anti-Pain is an instant relief. It is the most wonderful pain killer ever discovered. Try it.

"It was almost a miracle. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me of a terrible breaking out all over my body. I am very grateful." Miss Julia Filbridge, West Cornwall, Conn.

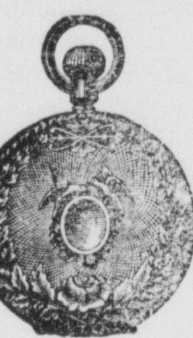
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### SPECIAL SALE FOR THIS WEEK

1000 Bars Highly Perfumed Soap. Large Size. Each Bar.....	1c
1 Quart Cups. Best Tin.....	3c
Fast Black and Seamless Ladies' Hose.....	9c
Crash Toweling. Per yard.....	3c
15 dozen Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs.....	3c
Halfdozen Best White Granite plates per set.....	33c

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## THE FAIR.



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SEE J. H. TINDER OPTICIAN.

HE FITS EYES CORRECTLY.

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## Now is the Time

To place your order for your Spring Suit. Come early and avoid the rush. Riehm, the Tailor, extends to all an invitation to call and examine his beautiful Spring and Summer line. He is sure to please you in quality, style, fit, finish and workmanship.

## RIEHM, The Tailor.

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If you mean to build a new house or repair your old one it will be to your interest to have us do the work. Our workmen are the best that can be secured and long years of experience as builders makes it possible for us to properly meet the requirements of all kinds of work. We carry a full line of lumber, lath, shingles, sash, doors, blinds, etc. Call and see us about your work.

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## W. F. PFAFFENBERGER.

White Pine Balsam.

Best on Earth For Coughs, Colds and Grip.

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## Rich Blood.

Is necessary Spring's Sarsaparilla Is necessary to make it.

A full line of medicines always on hand. Prescriptions carefully compounded.

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